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1. A military school for amphibious training was reported at Demir Kapija in late 1946. Maneuvers take place on the Vadar River and include swimming with full equipment. The courses last four months and are attended by an average of 1500 marine infantry soldiers.
2. A school for artillery specialists was reported at Kula in March 1947. Russian 75mm and 120mm and German 88mm guns are used for instruction. The courses last six months.
3. A cavalry school with 1,500 officers and men and 1,000 horses is located 16kms north of Belgrade.
4. At Bezanijesko Naselje near Zemun, work on the construction of an important modern metallurgical factory was inaugurated on 16 May 1947 at a ceremony in which the ministers of the government of Serbia and officers of the Yugoslav General Staff participated. The factory is to produce gunmounts for 20mm and 37mm canon, and barrels for 12.7mm, 9mm, and 7.6mm machineguns.
5. At Osijek (Slovenia), according to a reliable source, the factory and foundry will produce tripods for machine guns and accessories for canon as well as generators of the OLT make.

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